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Desktop and Laptop Purchasing Waiver # 11

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(In reference to State of Iowa Enterprise Desktop and Laptop Purchasing Standard, dated June 7, 2007)

Agency:

Agency name: Iowa Workforce Development, Division of Labor Services

Agency CFO or contact name: RJ Hellstern

Projected purchasing date: Federal funds must be encumbered by 09-30-2010

Cost:

Name of item: Latitude E6510 laptop computers with docking stations

Cost of item: \$2,241.12 (quote is \$112,056.00 for 50 PCs)

Manufacturer: Dell

Number of items with projected purchase: fifty (50) laptop computers

Comparable cost of similar items purchased through the WSCA Dell amendment: \$2,2164.66 (WSCA guote is \$108,233.00 without the floppy drive included in the first guote.)

Business need for purchasing outside the WSCA amendment:

These fifty laptop computers will be connected to the OSHANet LAN used by the Iowa Division of Labor Services OSHA programs. The OSHANet has unique software applications that must be used to collect and upload data for OSHA programs nationwide. These computers will be purchased using end-of-year 50% Federal funds 50% State of Iowa funds that must be encumbered before close of business on September 30, 2010.

A copy of an e-mail from Steve Carmichael, Assistant Regional Administrator for US DOL, OSHA – Region VII in Kansas City, MO is attached that explains why lowa OSHA must purchase Dell computers on the US DOL – OSHA contract in order to be able to connect with the national OSHANet system.



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Equipment purchased from Dell must match the exact specifications in Dell Quote # 545216123 for Customer # 36479727 Contract # 10107 CustomerAgreement # GS35G-4076D for Dept. of Labor OSHA on 06/15/2010.

Other items pertinent for the board's discussion:

Bids are attached for:

Requested Product Quotation – US DOL OSHA contract # 10107 QUOTE # 545216123 Comparable Product Quotation from WSCA Dell Contract – QUOTE # 552350428

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From:

Carmichael, Steve - OSHA [Carmichael.Steve@dol.gov]

Sent:

Friday, September 25, 2009 11:53 AM

To:

Jackson, Anne [IWD]

Cc:

Slater, Steve [IWD]; Burlile, Tom - OSHA; Johnson, Jane - OSHA

Subject:

Laptop Purchase - State of Iowa

Anne,

The Federal OSHA Directorate of Information Technology (DIT) has a quote with Dell on a specific model/configuration. This configuration is required in order to operate and receive support from DIT since it will be connected to the OSHANet. OSHA's image is also pre-loaded on the laptop with all the applications and security software that is required to connect a computer to OSHANet. No other configuration will be supported or would be allowed to connect to the agency network.

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